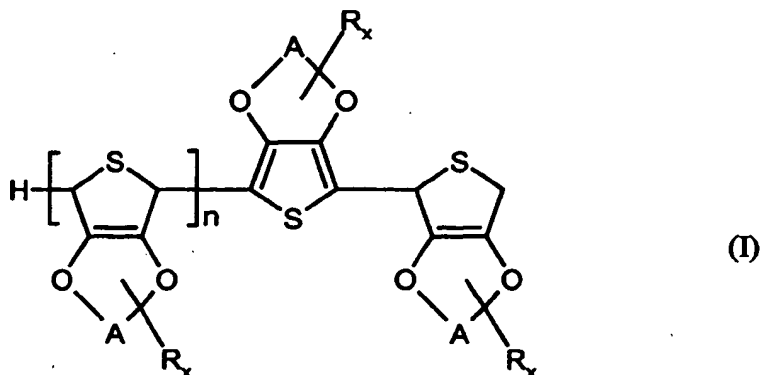


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WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. Compounds of the general formula (I), characterized in that



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A is an optionally substituted C_1 - C_4 -alkylene radical,

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R is one or more identical or different, linear or branched, optionally substituted C_1 - C_{18} -alkyl radical(s), optionally substituted C_5 - C_{12} -cycloalkyl radical(s), optionally substituted C_6 - C_{14} -aryl radical(s), optionally substituted C_1 - C_4 -hydroxyalkyl radical(s) or one or more hydroxyl radical(s),

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x is an integer from 0 to 8 and

n is 0 or 1.

2. Compounds according to Claim 1, characterized in that

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A is an optionally substituted C_2 - or C_3 -alkylene radical,